IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:	
Timothy MURPHY	Art Unit: 3738
Application No.: 10/770,403	Examiner: Prebilic, Paul B.
Filing Date: 4 February 2004	Attorney Ref. No.: 010-001

For: Methods for Treating Obesity | Via EFS-Web

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant respectfully Petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for response to the Office Action dated 15 March 2007, which set a three-month shortened statutory period for reply, the number of month(s) indicated below, to 15 August 2007.

Month(s)	Large Entity Fee (fee code)	Small Entity Fee (fee code)
	\$120 (1251)	\$60 (2251)
⋈ 2	\$450 (1252)	\$225 (2252)
<u></u> 3	\$1020 (1253)	\$510 (2253)
<u> </u>	\$1590 (1254)	\$795 (2254)
<u></u> 5	\$2160 (1255)	\$1080 (2255)

The period for response has previously been extended to <u>15 July 2007</u>; accordingly, the fee for this Petition is the difference between the fee identified above and the fee previously paid.

For the fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) identified above for this Petition, please

\boxtimes	note that Applicant has directly paid the fee via EFS-Web / RAM.
	charge our Deposit Account No. <u>50-2821</u> .
\exists	find our attached check made payable to "Director of the U.S. P.T.O.".
	charge the credit account identified in the attached PTO-2038.

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Date: 10 August 2007